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(Amendment 6 to B. A. I. Order 146.)



## United States Department of Agriculture, BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY.

AMENDMENT 6 TO RULE 3, REVISION 1.—TO PREVENT THE SPREAD OF SCABIES IN SHEEP.

Amendment effective on and after August 20, 1909.

United States Department of Agriculture,
Office of the Secretary.

It is ordered that the quarantine for scabies in sheep placed upon the State of Kentucky by Amendment 4 to Rule 3, Revision 1, dated August 5, 1909, and effective on and after August 16, 1909, be, and the same is hereby, modified to permit the interstate shipment of sheep of States not quarantined for scabies in sheep which are exhibited at the Kentucky State Fair to be held at Louisville September 13 to 18, 1909, inclusive, subject to the following restrictions:

- (a) Such sheep shall be shipped by rail to Louisville and shall not be unloaded in the area quarantined for sheep scabies elsewhere than at Louisville.
- (b) Separate cleaned and disinfected chutes and other facilities shall be provided for the exclusive unloading and loading of such sheep at Louisville.
- (c) Such sheep shall be hauled in cleaned and disinfected wagons direct from the cars in which they arrive at Louisville to the fair grounds, and from the fair grounds direct to the cars in which they are to be reshipped.
- (d) That portion of the fair grounds or other premises to be occupied exclusively by such sheep shall be cleaned and disinfected under the supervision of an employee of the Bureau of Animal Industry before said sheep are placed therein.
- (e) Such sheep shall not be moved interstate from Louisville except in cleaned and disinfected cars, nor unless accompanied by a certificate issued by an inspector of the Bureau of Animal Industry showing that the sheep have had no opportunity to become infected with scabies.

It is also ordered that said Amendment 4 to Rule 3, Revision 1, be, and the same is hereby, modified to permit the reforwarding in interstate commerce of shipments from other States of sheep that are free from



scabies and from exposure thereto and that in transit through Kentucky are unloaded at points in that State: Provided such unloading shall be into pens or yards which have been specially cleaned and disinfected for the purpose under the supervision of an employee of the Bureau of Animal Industry, and which have been specially designated and approved for that purpose by the Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry.

Done at Washington this twentieth day of August, 1909.

Witness my hand and the seal of the Department of Agriculture.

W. M. HAYS,
Acting Secretary of Agriculture.